SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

SOS# 1959 (AG# 23-0017A1) ALLOWS FELONY CHARGES AND INCREASES SENTENCES FOR CERTAIN DRUG AND THEFT CRIMES. INITIATIVE STATUTE.	**CERTIFICATION OF COLLECTION OF 25% OF THE NUMBER OF SIGNATURES NEEDED TO QUALIFY INITIATIVE MEASURE FOR THE BALLOT** **(ELECTIONS CODE § 9034)**

In accordance with California Elections Code section 9034, the undersigned proponent(s) of the above-referenced statewide initiative proposal, hereby certify that at least 25 percent of the number of signatures required to qualify the measure for the ballot have been obtained.

Executed under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California this 18th day of January, 2024, at Sacramento, California.

Signed: _____

Printed Name: Thomas W. Hiltachk, Proponent